Conspectus of action on previous Resolutions and Recommendations of the Indian Historical Records Commission (40th to 45th Session)

Further to the information placed before the Commission at its 45th and earlier sessions on the resolutions and recommendations of the 40th to 45th Sessions, replied received from the State Governments, Universities, Learned Institutions and others are summarised below:

I. Resolutions of the 40th Session, Madras, 18th-20th February, 1970.

Resolution VIII: The Commission resolves that to facilitate the consultation of records preserved by them the Records Repositories of the State Governments be requested to prepare and publish consolidated guides to their pre-Independence records.

Orissa: The resolution has been accepted in principle. Five volumes of 'Guide to Orissan' Records' have been published and Volume VI of this series is in the press.

Sikkim: As the State Archives has been recently started and is being organised the resolution is still under consideration of the Government.

Assam: As it is not the usual practice of this Records Repository to bring out any publication of its records, it may take sometime to implement the resolution. The matter will be taken up with the Government. It is also felt, that the question is inter-linked with the setting up of State Archives, which has not yet come into existence. However, the proposal for setting up of a State Archives has already been initiated.